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Russia's Crack Cruiser Overhauled by the Japanese

While It Was Trying to Make Harbor at Vladivostok.

SHE WAS RUN ASHORE.

Then Filled Full of Holes at Long Range.

Admiral Sterling Takes a Hand in Shanghai Situation.

Tokio, Aug. 22.—The protected cruisers Chitose and Tsushima have defeated the Russian cruiser Novik and forced her ashore near Korsakoff.

Japanese fleet sunk Novik off Sak-

for Van Dieman strait, at the southern end of Japan, evidently in an effort to reach Vladivostok via the eastern coasts of the Japanese islands. Yesterday it was reported from St. Petersburg that the Novik had reached Korsakovsk. From the fact that the Japanese cruisers met the Novik off the southern end of Sakhalin it would appare that the Discountern end of Sakhalin it would appare that the Discountern end of Sakhalin it would appare that the Discountern end of Sakhalin it would appare that the Discountern end of Sakhalin it would appare that the Discountern end of Sakhalin it would appare that the Discountern end of Sakhalin it would appare that the Discountern end of Sakhalin it would appare that the Discountern end of Sakhalin it would appare that the Discountern end of Sakhalin it would appare the sakhalin it w Russian cruiser passed through the Kurile islands and as endeavoring to reach Viadivostok y way of Laperouse strait, avoiding the passage of the Tsugaru strait which used by the Russian Viadivostok ceast of Japan.

STERLING CLEARS FOR ACTION.

American Admiral Will Allow No. Fight Unless He Is In It.

Shanghai, Aug. 22—A long meeting of the consular body was held today for the purpose of discussing the case of the Russian eruiser Askold and the de-stroyer Grozovoi which put into this

Rear Admiral Sterling is determined Cully left when he did.
But few women and children are at that the Japanese shall not interfere with the Russian vessels. He has, it is Port Arthur. reported, offered to escort the Askold and Grozovoi beyond the three mile

gether and continued to issue orders and encourage the men until he was

and encourage the men until he was removed between decks. A man seriously wounded by the same shell continued doing his duty and did not report to the surgeons for treatment until the next day.

The Gromobol and the Rossia present a shattered appearance. Their ventilators look like sieves and there are marks of battle everywhere. Guns are dismantled, boats shattered and there are enormous holes in the cruisers' hulls through which a man could easily pass. Many of the cabins were completely wrecked. Some of the Japanese shells performed queer actions. On the Rossia, a shell burst in a clothes cupboard. Garments

in a clothes cupboard. Garments therein were torn to shreds, but a mirror was not scratched. Photographs and knicknacks on a writing table nearby were blackened by the smoke of a fierce fire in which eight men were burned alive, yet an almanac was not even scorched. Aboard the Gromoboi a shell entered the wardroem and wrecked the furniture but a parrot cage was untouched.

All the officers are full of praise for the coolness and bravery of the men.

the coolness and bravery of the men who died in the battle without a mur-mur. Comrades took their places without awaiting orders. It was dead-Washington, Aug. 22.—The state department has received the following cablegram from Minister Griscom, at single gunner protected by casement lost his life. The value of protective armor was demonstrated whenever shots struck the armored portion of the vessel. Many deeds of heroism

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On board the Rurik were 24 officers, a priest and eighty-seven petty officers and 700 men.
The wife and daughter of Captain Trousoff and the wives of Engineers Evanhoff, Sargon and Soultokh, who are here, are half crazed with grief and despair.

Few Women and Children There.

Little Hope for Port Arthur.

Has Made No Report of Treasury Condition.

Does He Fear That Albaugh Will Be Justified?

THROWS DOWN GLOVE.

ly work on the upper deck where the gunners were without protection and shells striking burst into a thousand fragments killing and woundlog men fiscal year on June 30. Such a statemuch juggled. It is known in general,

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Only one of the dead was brought back—Captain Berlinsky, of the Rossia. His remains lay in a coffin near an ikon of the Saviour, the glass frame of which was smashed. The image, however, miraculously escaped.

All the others who were killed were buried at sea, a farewell salute being fired as the bodies were slid over the ship's side. The seamen of the Rossia and Gromobol who survived are cheeful. They responded to the greetings of Vice Admiral Should be reason than that we desire that our home people should know that in majori this matter the paper was correct, find in the face of the venomous attacks made upon its statements at the time, in the face of the venomous attacks made upon its statements at the time. In the face of the venomous attacks made upon its statements at the time, in the face of the venomous attacks made upon its statements at the time. In the face of the venomous attacks made upon its statements at the time. In the face of the venomous attacks made upon its statements at the time. In the face of the venomous attacks made upon its statements at the time. In the face of the venomous attacks made upon its statements at the time. In the face of the venomous attacks made upon its statements at the time. In the face of the venomous attacks made upon its statements at the time. In the face of the venomous attacks made upon its statements at the time. In the face of the venomous attacks made upon its statements at the time. In the face of the venomous attacks made upon its statements at the time. In the face of the venomous attacks made upon its statements at the time. In the face of the venomous attacks made upon its statements at the time. In the face of the venomous attacks made upon its statements at the time. In the face of the venomous attacks made upon its statements at the time. In the face of the venomous attacks made upon its statements at the time. In the face of the venomous attacks made upon its statements at the time. In the face of the venomous attacks made upon its statements at th

Along with William Allen White's editorial on the bolt of Oscar Z. Smith from Hoch, which was noted in the State Journal several days ago, an edicongress from this district and this congress from this district and this ent attitude of Governor Balley is attracting a great deal of attention in political circles. Here is what Mr. Albaugh says:

"The dignified silence that Governor Bailey has maintained since bis unjust and may be a since bis congress from this district and this fact will insure a crowd, as it will give the people a chance to see and hear the man whom a majority of them will vote for this fall."

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the purpose of discussing the cuse of the Russian eruiser Askold and the destroyer Grozovoi which put into this port on August 12.

No decision was reached, but it is believed that the final action will be the same as that taken in the case of the Russian gumboat Mandajur which put into this port and was compelled to dismantle on March 31.

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St. Petersburg, Aug. 22.—3:37 p. m.

The Japanese torpedo boat destroyer is expected to return to the harbor to-night.

DEATH OF LIEUTENANT BRASH.

Queer Freaks of Japanese Shells Fired at Russian Cruisers.

Viadvostok, Aug. 22.—Captain Berlinsky, who was wounded in the battle will be able to hold out in spite of the heavy odds against him. The litest news that the Japanese are unable to establish a foothold at the most impressive honors. The death of Lieutenant Brash of the cruiser Gromobol, is reported to have been particularly tragic. He was hurled from the bridge of the cruiser by the explosion of a shell. Although mortally wounded, the lieutenant pulled himself to
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yet the governor is a Republican, a believer in Republican principles and will in the future, as in the past, be found working for their success. The very men who turned him down will not dare attack a single act of his administration. His public service has been in the clear light of day. His record is an open book and there is naught in it that needs or calls for defense, and those who consummated his overthrow, who are now in charge of the party's management in the state, will not even think of attacking that record."

B. P. Waggener was nominated by the Democrats for state senator in the Atchison-Jackson district in the sematorial convention at Whiting Saturday afternoon. The nomination was, of course, unanimous. It is generally believed, too, that there is little doubt of Mr. Waggener's election although health of the property of the course. Mr. Waggener's election, although both counties are normally Republican by a good majority. The Republican candi-date is Senaca Heath of Muscotah, but terest for Treasurer.

It has now been almost two months since the fiscal year closed, but thus far State Treasurer Kelly has made no statement concerning the condition date is Senaca Heath of Muscotah, but it is alleged that his nomination was made solely in the interest of Congressman Curtis' candidacy for United States senator, and many of the opponents of Curtis in both counties will therefore vote for Waggener. Mr. Waggener's personal popularity is also sufficient to carry Atchison county for him.

> Judge Manford Schoonover, of Garnett, has been nominated by the Democrats for state senator in the Seventh senatorial district, which is made up of in attendance. Linn and Anderson counties.

Major A. M. Harvey is scheduled to speak at a picnic at Highland station. Doniphan county, next Thursday. The Troy Chief says: "As he is known to be an eloquent and logical speaker there will be a great crowd of Doniphan county people out to hear him Harvey is the say in that he is convinced by his own reason that some given time and place best suits the saying of it there and them. You may say with the utmost confidence that under no other conditions will Judge Parker make any speech anywhere."

Roosevelt today enjoyed a period of rest and recreation uninterrupted either by public business or callers. He and Mrs. Roosevelt spent several hours in

UP TO PEKIN.

Consuls at Shanghai Fail to Reach a Settlement

Of the Rights of Russian Warships in the Harbor.

ernment Made Strong Talk.

American Consul Is Acting as today was "Generally fair tonight and Peacemaker.

Shanghai, Aug. 22.-John Goodnow the American consul general, who is dean of the consular corps, presided at the meeting of the foreign consuls held here today. All foreign countries with consulates here were represented. M.

in attendance. M. Odagari left a sick bed to attend The Socialists are putting up county the meeting. He made a vigorous protickets in many of the counties of Kantesta, especially in the southern part of sian cruiser Askold and the torpedo the meeting. He made a vigorous pro- Opens Seventh Annual Session at Port-

Until the Venezuelan Courts Have Had

a Chance.

York and Bermudese Asphalt company in Venezuela pending legal investigations. Minister Bowen cabled the state department today from Caracas that President Castro thought the United States government should await the conclusion of the legal proceedings, allowing the asphalt lakes and property to remain meanwhile in the hands of Receiver Carner. Nothing further has been done about the matter, but it is expected that the state department will take some action to secure the asphalt company against loss until the Venezuelan court announces its decision next month.

RAMSEY CAN'T HAVE IT.

Officer Must Be Satisfied With a Pittance.

The board of county commissioners has refused to make any change in the arrangements with J. B. Ramsey, the county trunkcy officer.

BIG RAIN IN TOPEKA.

It Amounted to Over an Inch Here Sunday.

The rainfall in Topeka Sunday was an inch and three-hundredths and was in style with the rainfalis recorded at the Kansas weather bureau sta-The rains reported for Sunday were

The rains reported for Sunday were:
Dresden, trace; Fort Scott, 2.20;
Macksville, trace; McPherson, 1.16;
Manhattan, 68; Osage City, 2.08; Russell, trace; Sedan, 3.34; Toronto, .40;
Wichita, .28.
Today's corn and wheat region bulletin says: "Fine rains have fallen in

letin says: "Fine rains have fallen in western Missouri, followed by clear-western Missouri followed by clearing weather this morning and much

Tuesday; slowly rising temperature. The wind at noon was northeast, blowing 8 miles an hour. The hourly temperatures recorded by the government

MINING CONGRESS.

Those of Cripple Creek Appeal to the tric wire. Courts.

Denver, Aug. 22.—H. N. Heinerdinger and J. S. Hall, representatives of the Interstate Mercantile company, who were expelled from Cripple Creek Sat-John Ham urday by a mob today had a consulta-tion with former Governor Charles S. Thomas, and instructed him to begin suit in the federal court for an injunc-Washington, Aug. 22—President Castro has not received Minister Bowen's request for the restoration of the property of New York and Bermudese Asphalt company in damages will also be brought by the deportees against the leaders of the

Difficulties Surrounding the Cotton Trade in England.

Cambridge, England, Aug. 22.—The most interesting matter of the British association today was a discussion of the cotton crisis. Premier Balfour, president of the association, said he feared gambling in futures could not ty trunncy officer.

Ramsey was appointed a year ago by County Superintendent Wright. The commissioners opposed the appointing of a trunncy officer, but found that under the law they could not prevent the superintendent from making his appointment. After Ramsey was appointed the commissioners announced that he would be allowed culy \$16 a month. Ramsey appeared before the board and asked for \$39 a month. The board decided to continue the present arrangement of \$16 a month until June 1, 1905. ties the cotton mills were experiencing.

The principal paper of the day was by J. A. Hutton, vice chairman of the British Cotton Growing association, in which he detailed the efforts of the association to relieve Great Britain from dependence upon the United States for raw cotton. He said that the slort time on which fine English factories were running was not entirely due to the shortage of cotton but was largely owing to the serious aggravation of the difficulty by numerous speculators. Mr. Hutton pointed out that probably it was not generally realized how very Hutton pointed out that probably it was not generally realized how very difficult it was to remedy this state of affairs, apart from the danger of English mills playing into the hands of foreign competitors. He estimated that no less than 10,000,000 people in this country were more or less dependent on the cotton trade. The employers alone were losing \$200,000 a week through short time and the total loss to capital and labor in the cotton and other allied trades throughout the country was not less than 1,500,00 per week, or \$75,000,000 per annum.

Mr. Hutton said there was no hope of any immediate relief.

Struck the city proper near the Wabasha street bridge, completely demolishing the Tivoli theater, a frame structure on the sandstone bluff at the edge of the river. There was a vaudeville performance at the theater, which was fairly well filled. Two men were killed by the fall of the roof and others, were buried in the ruins. Many of them were severely that the edge of the river. There was a vaudeville performance at the theater, which was fairly well filled. Two men were killed by the fall of the roof and others, were buried in the ruins. Many of them were severely that the edge of the river. There was a vaudeville performance at the theater, a frame structure on the sandstone bluff at the edge of the river. There was a vaudeville performance at the theater, which was fairly well filled. Two men were killed by the fall of the roof and the total loss to capital and labor in the cotton and others, were buried in the ruins. Many of them were severely that the edge of the river. There was a vaudeville performance at the theater, a frame structure on the sandstone bluff at the edge of the river. There was a vaudeville performance at the theater, a frame structure on the sandstone bluff at the edge of the river. There was a vaudeville performance at the theater, a frame structure on the sandstone bluff at the edge of the river. There was a vaudeville performance at the theater, a frame structure on the sandstone b

TORNADO TORN.

Twin Cities of Minnesota Swept by Flerce Storm.

Twelve Persons Killed and Many Injured.

DAMAGE IS \$1,000,000.

Tivoli Theater Wrecked During a Performance.

Pioneer Press Building Riddled by the Wind.

peratures recorded by the government thermometer today were:

7 o'clock 60 | 11 o'clock 69 | 8 o'clock 63 | 12 o'clock 70 | 9 o'clock 68 | 1 o'clock 71 | 10 o'clock 68 | 2 o'clock 72 | both private and public, estimated in round from east, blowing five miles | 10 o'clock 10 o'clock 10 | 10 o'clock 10 o'clock . valley of the Mississippi about 9 o'clock Saturday night from a point near the confluence of the Minnesota and Mississippi rivers near Fort Snelling. At about that point the fury of the elements seemingly divided and, with a

Kittie Ransom, actress, Tivoli thea-ter; fell unconscious when crash came and was removed by the police; will E. Fork; shocked by live wire John Hammond, Fort Snelling; in-

ured about head and body at Tivoli theater.
Peter Smith, bartender at Tivoli; John Lindlund; nose broken and

wounded on head.
Paul Reynolds; hands badly cut by falling glass.
Michael Egan, proprietor of popcorn stand at Fifth and Sibley streets; head and face cut by broken glass.
John Hayden, 410 East Lucy street;

head cut and side bruised.

Bert Hayden, 410 Lucy street; limbs and body bruised and cut. and body bruised and cut.

Annie Scott, actress at Tivoil; cut
and bruised about head and shoulders.

Unknown boy rendered unconscious
by live wire at Rice and Como streets. John Dugan, telegraph operator; head cut by falling glass. Scores of other persons are reported to have sustained bruises and cuts by

failing timbers and glass.

Walter Sanborn, 634 Bedford; burned on neck by live wire.

Joseph Hanson, Cook street; struck by electric light pole; not serious.

Came From Southwest. The storm cloud, which came from the southwest, first hit the ground on the west side bluffs near the high bridge. Two spans of this structure, which is of steel and which crosses the